



MR. AND MRS. LeROY A. GARDNER (Marilyn Ann Scalsee)

Marilyn Scalsee Weds LeRoy Gardner In Pretty Church Ceremony May 26

Marriage vows were exchanged between Miss Marilyn Ann Scalsee, Portland, and Seaman 2/c LeRoy A. Gardner, U. S. Navy, at an impressive ceremony at the altar of St. Patrick's Catholic church, Heppner, on Sunday afternoon, May 26. Celebrant for the 2:00 p.m. double ring ceremony was Father Raymond H. Beard.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scalsee, Portland, and formerly of Pendleton. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gardner, Heppner.

Providing a floral setting for the summer ceremony were tall standards holding spires of pink and white gladioli, accented with white satin bows, and flanked by white tapers in candelabra. Escorted to the altar on the arm of her father, the bride was attractively attired in a floor length gown of white satin and lace, styled with Empire waistline, elbow length bell sleeves edged in lace, and oval neckline. Her illusion shoulder length veil was centered by a large white satin Dior rose. She carried a bridal bouquet of white gardenias and pink rosebuds with cascading white satin streamers.

Attending as maid of honor was Miss Christy Corbet of Burns, close college friend of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Misses Kathy Chapman, Sherrie Hawkins and Maudry Weissert, all of Pendleton, and college friends of the bride.

The honor attendants were gowned in matching pale pink floor length A-line gowns. Each carried a single long-stemmed pink rose.

Best man was Dennis Herbison, Monmouth.

Serving as ushers were Doug Dubuque, Heppner; Mike Spike, Echo, and Ron Kolvisto, Hermiston, all college classmates of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Scalsee was attired in a pink silk ensemble, with pink and green accessories. Mrs. Gardner, mother of the groom, chose to wear a green knit suit with white accessories.

Wedding music was played by Miss Marguerite Glavey, organist who also accompanied the vocal selections of Mrs. Dale Holland.

The pink and white wedding theme was carried out in decorations in the parish hall, where the couple greeted their wedding guests at a reception. Centering the bride's table was a white three-tiered wedding cake, decorated with white lovebirds and pink netting. Guests were seated at individual tables, centered with artistic topiary trees of pink and white netting, decorated with pink rosebuds and white satin bows, on pink table covers.

Those in charge of serving, and assisting about the rooms, were Mrs. Lynn Bolton and Mrs. Keith Gallaher, both aunts of the groom from The Dalles; Hazel Gardner, grandmother of the groom, also of The Dalles; Mrs. Kenneth Wright, Heppner; Mrs. Ron Kolvisto and Mrs. Mike Spike, both of La Grande.

Others assisting with serving were Mrs. Robert Helfrecht, Mrs. Jack Miller, Mrs. Jerry Chapman and Mrs. Ben Craigen, all of Pendleton, and Mrs. Allen Pequet, Long Creek.

Helping with many of the arrangements were Mrs. Wilbur VanBlokland, Mrs. Mary Malcom, Mrs. Jack Healy, Mrs. Jack Van Winkle and Mrs. Jerry Daggett, all of Heppner.

Among honored guests from out of town were the groom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Payne, and Mrs. Hazel Gardner, all of The Dalles.

For their wedding trip to Timberline Lodge, the bride changed to a pink and white dress with matching coat, white accessories and white orchid corsage.

On June 1 they were in La Grande for commencement ceremonies at Eastern Oregon College, where LeRoy was presented his Bachelor of Arts degree in

CowBelles Honor Father of the Year At Annual Barbecue

Bill Rawlins, chosen recently as Morrow County's Father of the Year, was honored on Sunday, June 2, at the annual Father of the Year Barbecue, sponsored by the Morrow County CowBelles.

Rawlins was presented with a barbecue grill as a gift from the CowBelles. His four children were present for the occasion, with a guest who arrived from college with the Rawlins' son, Tom. Mrs. Rawlins was unable to attend as she was enrolled in a two weeks teachers' workshop at Linfield college in McMinnville, and followed by a six weeks summer school session at the University of Oregon.

Several family members were guests at the dinner in addition to several members of the Empire Builders 4-H club, the sponsoring youth organization who nominated Rawlins for the honor.

Families attending the barbecue supplied their own steaks, which were cooked on a barbecue grill recently installed by the fair board.

CowBelles club furnished garlic bread, a variety of salads, cakes, and ice cream.

A larger crowd than usual participated in the barbecue this year with about 75 guests present, according to Mrs. Frank Anderson, president of the CowBelles.

Rawlins, who devotes many hours of his time to working with 4-H clubs and youth groups, competed with other county winners throughout the state for the honor of being chosen Oregon's Father of the Year. Announcement of the winner was made last week.

Bride-elect Honored Prior to Departure

A morning bridal shower and coffee honoring Miss Barbara Gribble was held at the Eddie Gunderson home Friday morning, June 14.

Co-hostesses for the pre-nuptial party were Mrs. C. E. McQuarrie, Mrs. P. W. Mahoney, Mrs. Harlan McCurdy and Mrs. Gunderson.

Assisting Miss Gribble with her gifts was her sister-in-law, Mrs. Stuart Gribble. Friends dropped in throughout the morning hours to bring shower gifts, enjoy refreshments and visit with Barbara before her departure for Athens, Greece, where she will be wed to Airman First Class Larry Michael Derrick, whose home is in Baker.

business administration, for which he completed requirements in March. The bride had also attended EOC and Oregon State University.

The newlyweds are now at home in San Diego, Calif., where the groom is in basic training with the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner entertained with a dinner for the couple and the bridal party at their home Saturday evening, May 25, with 22 guests attending.

Installation Planned

Ruth Chapter No. 32, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold installation ceremonies Monday evening, June 24, at 8 p.m., in the Heppner Masonic hall. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Blevins of Ukiah have leased their Standard Oil service station and garage there to a man from Pilot Rock. Immediate plans for the Blevins family are indefinite.

Society AND Clubs

Extension Committee Alumni are Honored At Annual Luncheon

Morrow County Home Extension county committee alumni were honored with a luncheon by the present county committee at the fairgrounds annex last week, according to Mrs. Bea Luciani, committee secretary.

The program featured Willard O'Hara, administrator, assisted by Mrs. Richard Schmidt, nurses aide, who told about and demonstrated the new heart monitoring equipment in use at the hospital.

A white elephant sale was held. The proceeds from the sale will be given to the Esther Kirmis Award fund.

The new County Committee members, Mrs. Faye Ferguson, Mrs. Phoebe Hayes and Mrs. Eva Anderson, assisted Bea Luciani, Marge Acock, Dorris Graves, and Gladys Connor (present county committee members) in serving the luncheon.

The annual alumni luncheon is not a part of the regular extension unit program year. It is

Dinner to Precede Rockhound Meeting

The Morrow County Gem and Mineral Society will hold its last meeting until the fall season on Saturday evening, June 22. Meetings will resume in September.

Preceding the meeting, to be held in the Pete McMurtry building, a potluck supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. for the members, families and guests. Coffee, punch, rolls and butter will be furnished, with members asked to bring prepared dishes, silverware and personal dishes.

Following the meeting, there will be the preparation of materials for the Sidewalk Bazaar, set for July 12 and 13. Members are asked to bring small boxes and gift wrappings, also articles for grab boxes and materials to be used for sale articles.

a traditional social affair designed to keep former county committee members throughout the county in close communication with each other.

Martha Peck, Grand Rainbow Treasurer, Honored at Reception

Ruth Assembly No. 50, International Order of Rainbow for Girls, honored Miss Martha Peck, grand treasurer of Grand Rainbow Assembly of Oregon, at a reception Saturday evening, June 8, in the Heppner Masonic hall.

Presiding over the evening reception was Sara Miller, current worthy advisor of Ruth Assembly. Guests were Mrs. Gladys Urey, Eugene, and Mrs. Jeannett Millett, Portland, both grandmothers of the honoree. Also, Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen, Ione, mother advisor; Bonnie Kay Akers, Ione, grand confidential observer; Terrie O'Connor, Ione, worthy advisor; Mrs. Lorraine Irby, Olex, grand deputy; Mrs. Dick Wilkinson, Heppner, grand Ruth of the Grand Chapter of Eastern Star, and Mrs. Harold Becket, Heppner, past grand deputy.

Members of the Assembly presented a skit in honor of Miss Peck and also presented several vocal selections. Guests enjoyed refreshments served by the girls. Yellow decorations were used about the room, and on the refreshment table.

Miss Peck, daughter of Mr. and



MISS MARTHA PECK

Mrs. Ken Peck, Lexington, is a past worthy advisor of Ruth Assembly, and is currently completing her term of office as Grand Treasurer. New officers will be elected at Grand Assembly in Corvallis next week, which will be attended by several members of the Heppner and Ione chapters.

Martha will begin her sophomore year at the University of Oregon in the fall.

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